SURFACE FORCE INDEPENDENT DUTY CORPSMAN (8425)

FY-12 Curriculum Changes

Course of Instruction

- 2000 Curriculum Hours
- Units are separated into Medicine and Admin components
- Medicine units:
  - Medicine Systems: Respiratory / Psych/ Gastrointestinal / Trauma/ Neuro
- Admin units:
  - SAMS / SMDR Responsibilities / Preventive Medicine / NAVOSH programs / Laboratory

Didactic Course of Instruction

Unit	Hours	Unit	Hours
• Intro to A&P	11	• Gastrointestinal	64
• Med Hx	16	• Genitourinary	74
• Pharmacy	38	• Neurology	65
• Cardio	60	• HEENT	64
• BLS-C	8	• Dental	24
• BLS-I	28	• Integumentary	46
• ACLS	16	• Endocrine	21
• Heme-Lymph	28	• Musculoskeletal	84
• Respiratory	53	• Radiology	8

Didactic Course of Instruction

Unit	Hours	Unit	Hours
• Psychiatric	39	• Core Admin	8
• Infectious Dx	24	• Lab 66	
• Emergency	36	• NAVOSH 29	
• TCCC 24		• Preventive Med	65
• Trauma 84		• Clinicals 520	
• 3-M 16		• MDA 20	
• CBRNE 20		• SAMS 16	
• TAV 48		• SMDR 57	
• FEP 40		• Mentorship	101

Course of Instruction

- Over 50 written exams and practical application evolutions.
- School Year consists of three performance based assessments
  - TAV 1
  - TAV 2
  - Final Evaluation Period (FEP)
    - Includes review and grading of student MRI binder

Clinical Coordinator

- Approximately 13 week clinical rotation phase at end of the school year
  - Students are rotated through a series of Primary Care and Specialty clinics
  - Rotated through various Operational commands
  - Types of Clinical Assignments:
    - SMART Clinics, FMF, NSW, JTF, numerous ships and NMCSD clinics

Career Counselor

- CANTRAC Highlights:
  - E-5, minimum
    - 2 years No Longer Required
    - 4 years of service
  - NAVPERS 1306/7 with CO endorsement
  - Approved PTS (Does not require a 6 year contract)
  - Evals for last 3 years
  - Medical Suitability Screening
  - Operational Duty Screening
  - 1306/92, Special Program Screening

Career Counselor

- CANTRAC Highlights:
  - Recommendation from CMC/SEL/CO
  - Letter of Recommendation from Navy Primary Care Manager
    - "Seasoned" Independent Duty Corpsman (Preferred)
    - Medical Officer
    - Nurse Practitioner
    - Physician Assistant

Career Counselor

- Incentives
  - Upon graduation from IDC program
    - Advancement to E-6 (MILPERSMAN 1430-050)
      - Must have final GPA greater of 91% or greater
      - Must be TIR eligible for promotion
      - Must not have been setback in training for academic performance
    - SRB
      - Zone B – 4.0 award level ($60,000)
      - Zone C – 2.0 award level (up to $39,000)